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*"Oh, what a tangled web we weave
When first we practice to deceive!"*
--Sir Walter Scott--



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FRUEH WINS "CYNING"!

Congratulations go to Mark Frueh for a crushing win in AGE OF RENAISSANCE. So far we have only Hanna and Copeland signed up to challenge him in the next one, "The Knyghtes Tale"

Disappointingly "Egbert" didn't finish this time, but ought to join "Lord Stanley" in the record book next issue. 1835 probably won't finish next issue since PR is likely to pop for a 6-train.

See page two for my quick & dirty Con Report.

GAME OPENINGS:

CIRCUS MAXIMUS: The red chariot may be available.

DUNE: The BG may be available.

TITAN: The red and gold legions may be available.

1830: Room for one more since either Chuck or Mark volunteered to run it.

Gunboat MACH: Have three signed up.

BORIS'S BULLETIN BOARD

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH: "The most indelible gift that the rational soul possesses is that of Choice. All other faculties may wax or wane...But the will is always itself -- acting and choosing -- and cannot cease: there is no such thing as indeciveness in reality -- it is no less than a rapid alteration of decisions. Ultimately, therefore, the rational soul becomes not what it necessarily understands, not what it superficially loves -- but that which it chooses." --Robert Hugh Benson

Alan Bergender is moving again. See p 18 for new e- & snailmail addresses.

As mentioned later, I played a demo game of MANIFEST DESTINY, a North American sequel to AGE OF RENAISSANCE. It's in the GMT P500 program and needs another 50ish orders to go into production. Check it out at <http://www.gmtgames/nnpd/main.html>.

BOOS & KUDOS

This month's Madame Boldue Press Excellence Award (and free issue) goes to Walt O'Hara for his DUNE article (I forgot to print it last issue).

This month's Ms Nar Super-Sudsy Bomb is lobbed to Walt O'Hara for a triple NMR.

PERSONAL COMMUNICATION HERE (maybe):

Deadline for most games is 1800 CST 5 SEP 03



MIRKWOOD: Three of the five remaining Powers had their homelands invaded this season and a fourth fended off two invading armies. The Austrian beachhead in SMY should seal the Turk's fate in '06. Germany's invasion of Italy has doomed A MAR and set up a guessing game in REXIA. Italy's invasion of Austria looks to be more of a raid or a diversion than a serious threat considering the Germanic swarm moving in from the West.

TROOP MOVEMENTS:

Germany builds A BER, MUN, and F KIE. Russian builds A WAR.

AUSTRIA (R Fisher): [A Bul-Confr-???], A Gre-Smy, F Aeg C A Gre-Smy, A Alb Hlu, F Eas S A Gre-Smy, [A Gal-Sil]

GERMANY (Anderson): A Den H, A Par-Gas, F Eng-Mid, A Lpl Edi, A Bre S A Par-Gas, F Edi-Nth, A Bur S A Par-Gas, A Trl-Pie, [A Ber-Prul], [A Min-Sil], F Kie-Bal;

ITALY (K Wilson): A Ges-Spa, A Mar H, [F Tun-Ion], F Mid-Wes, A Ven-Tri, F Ion-Adr, [F Nap-Ion];

RUSSIA (Fowble): [A Rüm-Gal], [A Swe-Fin], F Nwy-Swe, [A Sev-Rum], [A Arm-Ank], F Bar-Nwy, [A War-Prul]

TURKEY (Nichols): F Bla S A Con-Bul, [A Smy-Ankfr-???], A Con-Bul.

Austrian A BUL must retreat oth or to GRE or SER. Turkish A SMY must retreat oth or to CON or SYR.

Orders in brackets: fail; CD = Civil Disorder; d = disbanded; oth = off the board; otm = on the move; r-??? = must retreat somewhere; v = unordered. See map and full transcript of game on the Website.

Due next time: Orders for retreats and for Fall 1906 and Press.

EMBASSY BEAT

T-G: Excellent board position! Two centers each from A/I/R and you're a shoo-in.

T-E: Thanks, your "good will" will be remembered in some future incarnation.

WBC REPORT

Sad to say, no WBC wood for me this year. The closest I managed was 8th in CIRCUS MAXIMUS (two out from minor wood) and a fifth in my own WIZARD'S QUEST tourney. While at WBC, I played four games of CIRCUS MAXIMUS, three games of GANGSTERS, two of PRINCESS RYAN'S STARMARINES, PUERTO RICO, and WIZARD'S QUEST, and one each of CIRCUS MINIMUS, MANIFEST DESTINY, MERCHANT OF VENUS, MONSTERS RAVAGE AMERICA, SLAPSHOT, and UNION PACIFIC. Roommates Paul Saunders picked up Wood with a second place in PRINCESS RYAN and Michael Saunders (the "King's Orcslayer" plaque in the WIZARD'S QUEST consolation Round).

WBC had over 1000 attendees. I saw Boriser Wade Fowble in the hallway and heard that Walt O'Hara was there at least Friday night. Ex-Borjler Dan Farrow and son were there too.

The voucher deal worked out OK. The choice was to stay at the Marriott at \$126/night with 830/night of vouchers or across the road at \$126/night and no vouchers. Even when they were worth only .80 on the dollar (20% gratuity built into use) it was still a better deal. Especially since service at the local Wendy's was so bad.

The big new games this year appear to have been VANISHED PLANET (think WIZARDS in space) and MYSTERY OF THE ABBEY (think CLUE in a monastery).



MACHIAVELLI

SEIGES GALORE!

SUMMER 1513

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Ragocittia: It's open season on minor powers and the French it seems, as three city states and the French garrison in MIL are being besieged and the Turkish tars walloped the French suits in GOL. The Austrian convoy into nominally Turkish territory (supported by the Porte even) bears study.

TROOP MOVEMENTS:

Austrian Army MIL retreated to TYR.

AUSTRIA (Wilson, 2d): A Carri-Ver, A Aqu-Dal, A Pal-G, A Tyr S FRE G Mil-A, A Como S FRE G Mil-A, F TS-LS, F Cor S TUR F WM-GOL;

FRANCE (Scott, 2d): A Tur B, A Sav-Gen, IF Gol, Hig-???, IG Mil-A;

MILAN (Cole, 2d): A Mil B, A Man S VEN A Fer-Bol, A Par S A Mil B, A Pav S A Mil B;

PAPACY (Anderson, 4d): A Flo B, A Ave B, G Rotté-A, F Anc H;

TURKEY (McConnell, 3d): A Her S AUS A Aqu-Dal, A Sla-Cor, F LA C AUS A Aqu-Dal, F WM-GOL;

VENICE (Nichols, 9d): A Fer-Bol, A Ver-Fri, F Dal-VA, F Ven S F Dal-VA;

Autonomous: Are(b), Flo(b), Gen, Larc, Mari, Man, Pio, Pisa, Rag, Sav, Sic, Tient, Tur(b).

French F GOL must retreat oth or to AVL, MAR, PRO, SAR, or TS.

Orders in brackets full: b = besieged, oth = off the board, r-??? = must retreat oth or elsewhere.

Orders for the retreat and for Fall 1513 are due next time. And Press. Ma Nar craves Press.

Game transcript and, if I get lucky with graphics, perhaps a game map are on the website.


EMBASSY BEAT

MILAN: We don't need no stinking boats...

D-Day VI

November 7th - 9th, 2003
Days Hotel, Timonium, MD

Breakout Normandy



The sixth annual dedicated mini-con for the competitive play of *Breakout Normandy* in a five-round, Swiss format GMed by the designer.

This event always attracts a highly competitive field which has yet to produce a repeat winner.

CIRCUS MAXIMUS (continued from p. 4)

Present:

Coughing from the dust, Josephus looked over his startled team. "Racing horses" he thought, "more like blind mice." "How could you run into a cart?" he shouted to the team. Quickly looking around for possible attackers he realized he was lost and the field was rapidly reeding. "Maybe a touch of the old whip will clear your vision" he shouted as the whip cracked over the brace of horses and he grabbed for support as the cart surged ahead.



THAN YIN

Order	COLOR	DRIVER (CDM/DH)	CART	Whip	Wheels	TEAM	END	Speed	D/E
4-1	Red	Rufus Magnus (+2/7)	H	Y	0/0	5524	23	16	2/2
5-1	Green	Josephus (+2/9)	L	Y	0/0	7446	28	(22)	2/2
6-1	Blue	Sprintinus Rex (+2/8)	L	Y	0/0	7545	13	23	2/2
8-1	Orange	Maximus Gladious (0/7)	M	Y	3/0	7436	39	20	2/3
31-1	Yellow	Davidus Detroiti (+2/6)	L	Y	2/0	4444	35	18	2/2
32-1	White	Minnesotus (+1/7)	M	Y	0/0	4536	18	19	2/2
120-1	Aqua	Whiplash Willie (+1/8)	M	Y	0/0	4435	11	17	2/2
	Purple		W	-	-	6325	39	16	2/2

Josephis (R Fisher): 22, whip (5, -5 END) = 27. Ahead 1, cornerstair at 18 over (10-2 = LH, 8 = 1 in) pt, -18 END, speed down to 26; ahead 15, attack Minnesotus cart-horse; M fails to evade (5+) vs. 5+21 an takes 16) 1, injury of 10, #1 horse. Ahead 9.

Whiplash (Zieske: 17, no whip. Ahead 3, attack Minnesota cart-cart; M evades (2 MP used). Ahead 1, out 1, attack Davidus cart-cart; Davidus fails to evade (6+1 vs 4+2), but (12+1-2) the attack has no effect. Ahead 1, attack DD cart to horse; DD again fails to evade (12+1 vs 4+2), so takes (9) 2 injury points to #1 horse. Ahead 8.

Maximums (York): 20 speed, no whip, wheel check (if OK). Ahead 15. In 1, ahead 3.

Rufus (O'Hara). NMR: 16, no whisp; Alend 1, corners/strain at 4 over: 11.2 = n/e -4 END. Alend 15.

Spectations (Cape Cod) 23, no win. Ahead 1, out 1, ahead 21. Score 2nd Dolphin.

Davidus (Dave A): 10+1-2 (nj), whip 15, -5 END; wheel check 15 OK. Ahead 10, lash Whitplashes' harness; WW brakes 10-2 vs 9+1-2 END. In 1, lash Magnus' horses; MG accepts, 14+21+15+01 = 1 (MG -1 END and must add 1 MF next turn). Out 2, in 2, ahead 2.

Minicentus (Kannel). 19-1-1 injt, no whip. Ewaled for 2, out 1, ahead 8, driver lash Josephs; J evades (6+1 vs 9+1, 2 MP used off Turn 9's total). Ahead 2, driver lash Maximus; MG accepts (8+1-(7+0) = +2 column, 8 = Wound 6-2 DH, lose 4 MP off max speed next turn). Critical Hit 8 = Defender taken by surprise roll on +1 column, 9 = n/c). Ahead 3.

Purple Team: 16. Ahead 11, out 1, ahead 4

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4-1	Red	Rufus Magnus (+2/7)	H	Y	0/0	5324	19	16	2/2
5-1	Green	Josephs (+2/9)	L	Y	0/0	7446	05	22	2/2
6-1	Blue	Sprintatus Rex (+2/8)	L	Y	0/0	7545	13	23	1/2
8-1	Orange	Maximus Gladious (0/6)	M	Y	3/0	7436	38	(17)	2/2
21-1	Yellow	Davidus Detroit (+2/6)	L	Y	2/0	2444	50	16	2/2
32-1	White	Minnesota (+1/7)	M	Y	0/0	3636	18	18	2/2
120-1	Aqua	Whiplash Willie (+1/6)	M	Y	0/0	4435	09	17	2/2
	Purple		W	-	-/-	6325	39	16	2/2

See Website for more and transcript.

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DUNE

Turns 1b & 2a



The Board:

ATREIDES (Nichols): 10T @ Arrakeen, 10R, 10S, 1C
BENE GESSERIT (O'Hara): 1T @ Carthag, 5S, 19R, 1C
BENE TLEILAXU (Buttali): 3C, 4S, Tr @ Habbanya Ridge Sitch
FREMEN (Barrett): 3T @ Sitch Tabr, 7T @ False Wall West (s17), 3S, 10R, 1C
GUILD (Anderson): 5T @ Tuek's Sitch, 15R, 8S, 1C
HARKONNEN (Wilson): 10T Carthag, 10R, 10S, 2C
LANSRAAD (R Fisher): 20R, 30S, 1C
Spice: 8S @ Cielago North & 10S @ Habbanya Ridge Flat
Storm: Sector 15
Tanks: Empty

TURN 1b

1.3 Bidding: There are seven cards up for bid. On Card 1, L bids 4S, BT bids 3S, F, G & H bid 2S, _____ goes to L (-4S). On Card 2, L bids 4S, BT bids 3S, F, G & H bid 2S; _____ goes to L (-4S). On Card 3, L bids 4S, BT bids 3S, F, G & H bid 2S; _____ goes to L (-4S); L is full. On Card 4, BT & H bid 3S, F & G bid 2S; H, having more spice in hand gets _____ and _____ (-3S). On Card 5, BT bids 3S, F bids 2S, and H bids 1S; _____ goes to BT (-3S); BT is full. On Card 6, A bids 5S, F bids 2S, and H bids 1S; A gets _____ (-5S). On Card 7, F bids 2S and H bids 1S; _____ goes to F (-2S).

1.4a Shipping: BG coexist. L doesn't restrict movement. A ships 2T from the Reserves to Cielago North (4S to G); 1 BG accompanies. G ships 1T to Tuek's Sitch (-1S); 1 BG accompanies. F enters 2T, 2* at Sitch Tabr.

1.4b Movement: A moves 5T Amkeen-Gara Kulon. F moves 7T from False Wall West to Habbanya Ridge Flat (s 18).

1.5 Combat: None.

1.6 Revival: None.

1.7 Spice Collection: A collects 6S at Cielago North. F collects 10S at HRF.

2.1 Storm: The Storm moves 2 to Sector 17. The Turn 3 Storm chit is ____.

2.2 Spice Blow: Red Chasm (8) & Shai Hulud in Habbanya Ridge Flat where 7 delightedly await. We have a Nexus. 2S remain @ Cielago North.

Due next time are your orders for the Nexus. Ms Nar craves Press. Transcript and map are posted on the website.

Press:

Fremen to Harkonnen- Nice to see protection from revolting Fremmen being offered by the repugnant Baron and his hired help! Treachery may well be afoot but will likely begin in the Harkonnen halls of Carthag. Our Sitch welcomes the pure and the generous. As the Emperor watches from afar has Baron assumed already his mantle?

Fremen to BT: Neely trapped - who'd want a stinky old Sitch anyway?

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BRITANNIA

"Egbert"

Turn XVI



The Cast:

Blue: Kevin Wilson Green: Dave Anderson Purple: Chuck Hanna Red: Peter Boyum

TURN XVI

Board

Welsh (2.5): 4A @ March; 2A @ Powys; 1A @ Cornwall, Chyrd, Devon, Dyfed, Gwent, Gwynedd.

Picts (2.5): 2A @ Alban; 1A @ Mar.

Caledonians (0): 2A @ Hebrides.

Scots (2): 2A @ Dalrada; Durnedin.

Norsemen (2): 2A @ Moray, Skye; 1A @ Caithness, Orkneys.

Dubliners (2): 3A @ Cheshire; 1A @ Galloway, Strathclyde.

Danes (1.5): 2A @ Downlands.

Norwegians: 1A Bernicia, Lothian, Pennines.

Saxons (1): Harold, 3A @ Lindsey; 2A @ Norfolk; 1A @ York.

Normans: 4A @ Channel; Willy, 1C @ S. Mercia; 2C @ Suffolk; 1C @ Hwicce; 1A @ Essex, Sussex, Wessex.

GOVT: Red 96.5, Purple 78.5, Green 60.5, Blue 47.

Welsh (2.5): Grow 5.5. Add 1A @ Powys. 2A Powys-March-York (6.6, 2 -1 Saxon), 4A March-N. Mercia-Lindsey (5, 6, 2, 2, 6+1, 4+1, 2+1, 6, 5, 3+1 -3 Saxons, Harold, -2 Welsh).

Welsh to Saxons:-We accept no Saxon King, maybe a Norman one, but definitely not Saxon.

Saxons to Welsh:-You're setting your sights kinda low if you'll accept a Norman king. You're much better off with a Saxon monarch. To that end, I must remain in Lindsey to fight the evil Welsh hordes. It's the right thing to do for Britain.

Picts (2.5): Grow 1 pp. Add 1A @ Mar. Hold.

Caledonians (0): Grow 1 pp. Hold.

Caledonians to Dubliners:-My Welsh brethren have removed the scourge of Harold. Do you want to try for Willy?? Or my brave Danes shall come out of the rocks. We need only 1 roll of 6 and all England will rejoice.

Scots (2): Grow 1.5 pp. Add 1A @ Dalrada. 1A Durnedin-Dalrada, 1A Dalrada-Skye (4, 6, 1, -1 Scot).

Norsemen (2): Grow 2 pp. Add 1A @ .

Board

Welsh (2): 2A @ Lindsey, York; 1A @ Cornwall, Chyrd, Devon, Dyfed, Gwent, Gwynedd, Powys.

Picts (0.5): 2A @ Alban; 1A @ Mar.

Caledonians (0): 2A @ Hebrides.

Scots (0): 3A @ Dalrada; 1A @ Durnedin.

Norsemen (2): 2A @ Moray, Skye; 1A @ Caithness, Orkneys.

Dubliners (2): 3A @ Cheshire; 1A @ Galloway, Strathclyde.

Danes (1.5): 2A @ Downlands.

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Saxons (1): 2A @ Norfolk.

Normans: 4A @ Channel; Willy, 1C @ S. Mercia; 2C @ Suffolk; 1C @ Hwicce; 1A @ Essex, Sussex, Wessex.





TITAN

Time Out!
Turn 4 Delayed



THE BOARD:

Brown (Free): 6-4, 0 VP: Spider 100; Antlers 3; Tankard 3.
Blue (York): 6-4, 0 VP: Batman 122; Anchor 21.
Gold (Burgender): 6-4, 0 VP: Crown 127; Horn 134.
Red (Hara): 6-4, 0 VP: Bleeding Heart 134; Maltese Cross 39.
Green (Rezzardyl): 6-4, 0 VP: Dagger 8; Fleur-de-Lis 104.
Black (Khmozi): 6-4, 0 VP: Eye of Sauron 500; Poison Pen 5.
* **COMBAT:** At 134: Defender: Horn; Attacker: Heart.

FORCE POOL: Archangels (6), Angels (12), Behemoths (18), Centaurs (10), Colossi (10), Cyclops (19), Dragons (18), Gargoyles (7), Giants (18), Gorgons (25), Griffons (18), Guardians (6), Hydra (10), Lions (25), Minotaurs (21), Ogres (12), Rangers (28), Serpents (10), Trolls (24), Unicorns (12), Warbeasts (21), Warlocks (4), Wyverns (18).

Since four of you were officially NMR at the deadline, two were still NMR at presstime, the combat is still unresolved, and last month was a heavy convention/vacation month, I'm holding the resolution of Turn 4 until next month or until the combat is over.

In the meantime, here's some things to keep in mind:

1. Like I'll play, you must attempt to move at least one legion each turn.
2. There's no rule against you asking another player if he is going to move a particular legion. As the board gets more crowded, it will be essential to start talking to each other to avoid unwanted battles.
3. The House Rules have been amended to include the numbering scheme for the battlefield hexes. I'll post it shortly.

THE NAPOLEONIC
WARS



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Waterloo I

October 24th - 26th, 2003
Hunt Valley Inn, Hunt Valley, MD

A dedicated mini-con for the competitive play of *The Napoleonic Wars* in both 2- and 5-player formats GMed by the developer and designer respectively. Featuring four large boards with miniatures and a sneak peak at the sequel in the series: *Wellington*.

Score: Red 96.5, Purple 78.5, Green 60.5, Blue 47.

Legend: A = infantry army, C = cavalry army, F = fort, L = leader, ps = population point, R = raider, r-??? = retreats to ???, w-??? = withdraws to ???. * = in piece, @ = attack by/against cavalry

See map at: <http://hometown.snl.com/MaNar/maps/Egbert.gif>



LORD STANLEY BANK BUSTED!

SR 9 & OR 9.1



PLAYER STATUS: (* = Prez) cert limit = 10

Frueh: \$2481, 8 CA*, 2 LPS, 2 CGR, 1 BBG, 1 CPR (10 certs)
 Butcher: \$1192, 6 CGR*, 1 LPS, 2 BBG, 1 CA, 2 CPR (9 certs)
 Butitta: \$930, 4 CGR, 6 CPR* (7 certs) (Priority)
 Zieske: \$1253, 6 LPS*, 1 CA, 1 BBG, 4 CGR, 1 CPR (10 certs)
 Hanna: \$1549, 4 CGR, 6 BBG*, 1 LPS, 2 CA (10 certs)

CORPORATION STATUS

Corp	Pres	Price	Par	IO Pool	Cash	Trains	Tokens
LPS PZ	B350	90	0 0	321	5		C14, F17, Tun
CA MF	B275	80	0 0	086	56		D17, C14, Br
CGR TB	B175	100	0 0	487	D		K8, N1, L016, P9, F15, F17, D17, L15N/S, J15, Tun
CPR JB	A175	100	0 0	354	6		M4, N11, M13
BBG CH	C125	100	0 0	334	D		J15, L13, F15

SR 9

Butitta sells 4 CGR (-\$700, CGR drops to D125) and buys Prez share of WGR, setting par at \$190 (-\$200)

Zieske, Hanna & Frueh pass. Butcher buys 1 CGR (-\$125).
 Butitta buys 1 WGR (-\$100).
 Zieske, Hanna & Frueh pass. Butcher buys 1 CGR (-\$125). Butcher at cert limit.
 Butitta buys 1 WGR (-\$100).
 Zieske, Hanna, Frueh, & Butcher pass.
 Butitta buys 1 WGR (-\$100).
 Zieske, Hanna, Frueh, & Butcher pass.
 Butitta buys 1 WGR (-\$100). WGR floats.
 All pass. LPS, CA, and BBG, being sold out, float up to A375, A300, B150.

OR 9.1

Corp	Title	Lay	Token	Earn	Div	Trains	Price	Notes
LPS	---	---	--	\$230	\$23	5	A400	
CA	---	---	--	\$470	\$47	56	A325	
CPR	---	---	--	\$340	\$34	6	A175	
BBG	#6/K16(ce)	---	--	\$650	\$65	D	B175	
CGR	#14/N3(ce)	---	--	\$450	\$45	D	D150	Bank busted
WGR	#57/J11(n)	---	J11	--	--	+5	A90	-\$550

PLAYER STATUS: (* = Prez) cert limit = 10

Frueh: \$2994, 6 CA*, 2 LPS, 2 CGR, 1 BBG, 1 CPR (10 certs)
 Butcher: \$1918, 6 CGR*, 1 LPS, 2 BBG, 1 CA, 2 CPR (10 certs)
 Butitta: \$1234, 6 CPR*, 5 WGR* (10 certs)
 Zieske: \$1641, 6 LPS*, 1 CA, 1 BBG, 4 CGR, 1 CPR (10 certs) (Priority)
 Hanna: \$2200, 4 CGR, 6 BBG*, 1 LPS, 2 CA (10 certs)

CORPORATION STATUS

Corp	Pres	Price	Par	IO Pool	Cash	Trains	Tokens
LPS PZ	A400	90	0 0	321	5		C14, F17, Tun
CA MF	A325	80	0 0	086	56		D17, C14, Br
CPR JB	A200	100	0 0	354	6		M4, N11, M13
BBG CH	B175	100	0 0	334	D		J15, L13, F15

OGR TB	B150	100	0	2	535	D
WBG JB	A90	100	4	0	450	S

K8,N11,C16,P9,F15,F17,D17,L15N/S,J15,Tun
J11

The Bank is busted.

AVAILABLE TRAINS: EDDD..

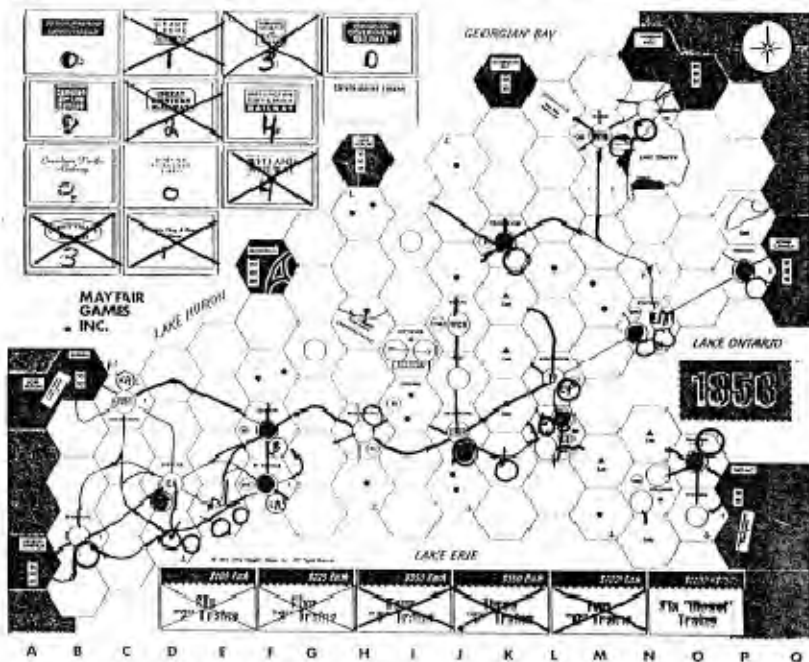
AVAILABLE TILES:

Yellow: #1(1), #2(1), #3(3), #4(3), #5(1), #6(1), #7(5), #8(4), #9(7), #55(1), #56(1), #57(2), #58(2), #59(1)

Greens: #14(3), #15(0), #16(1), #17(1), #18(1), #19(0), #20(1), #23(2), #24(4), #25(1), #26(1), #27(0), #28(1), #29(1), #59(1)

Brown: #39(1), #40(1), #41(3), #42(3), #43(1), #44(1), #45(2), #46(1), #47(2), #63(1), #64(1), #65(1), #66(1), #67(1), #68(1), #70(1), #125(0).

Due next time: Orders for ORs 9.2 and 9.3 and endgame statements





1835

SR 9 & DR 9.1



Errata: Butitta did not elect to take the double HE share.

Player Status: (* = Director) Certificate limit = (12), + = double non-Director share

Fisher: 1245 M, 1 BY, 1 SX, 5 BA*, 2.5 PR, 1 WT, 1 HE (12 certs) <Zug>

Hanna: 1325 M, 5 SX*, 1 PR, 8 WT* (11)

Butitta: 1193 M, 3 SX, 1 BA, 3 PR*, 1 WT, 3 HE (11)

Butcher: 819 M, 5 BY*, 2 PR, 1 BA, 2 HE (9)

Zieske: 972 M, 1.5 PR, 4 BY, 1 SX, 3 BA+, 4 HE*, 2 MS* (12)

CORPORATION STATUS:

Corp Dir	Price	IO Pool	Cash	Trains	Tokens
PR JB	C262	0 0	1046	3 (+5)	C11, E19, F14, H2, G5
SX CH	A148	0 0	661	3+	H16, E19, H20
BY TB	B134	0 0	099	5	G15, L14, H20
WT CH	C110	0 0	009	44	M9, J8
BA RF	D102	0 0	180	3	L9, F14
HE PZ	C92	0 0	010	4	J8, H2
MS PZ	E80	8 0	(160)-		(C13)

SR 9

Fisher passes. Hanna nationalizes 1 WT from Fisher (165M to Fisher)

Butitta sells 3 HE (+226 M, HE to D88) and buys 2nd MS (160 M to MS).

Butcher & Zieske buy 1 HE (-88 M each).

Fisher passes. Hanna nationalizes WT share from Butitta (165 M to Butitta).

Butitta buys 3rd MS (+160 M to MS) and becomes Director. MS deals!

Butcher buys 1 HE (-88 M). HE sold out.

Zieske, Fisher, and Hanna pass. Butitta buys 1 MS (-80 M).

Butcher, Zieske, Fisher, and Hanna pass. Butitta buys 1 MS (-80 M).

Butcher, Zieske, Fisher, and Hanna pass. Butitta buys 1 MS (-80 M).

Butcher, Zieske, Fisher, and Hanna pass. Butitta buys 1 MS (-80 M). MS is sold out.

All pass. Butcher has der Zug. All railroads are sold out so all but SX rise.

DR 9.1

Corp Title Lay	Tokens	Earn	Dv	Trains	Price	Notes
PR #9/D14(e)	--	550	35	13 (+4+5)	B318	-50 M
SX #9/G19(ce)	--	340	34	3 (+3+)	A168	
BY #63/N12(ce)	--	220	22	5	A166	
BA -----	--	150	15	3	C136	
WT #219/J6(w)	--	260	26	44	B120	
HE #217/G3(aw)	--	150	16	4	C100	
MS #63/F10(w)	C13 & E19	---	--	(3+15+)	D78	a

a) Places token in Berlin (-80 M), buys a 5+ train (8600) from Bank and a 3+ from PR for 1 M.

Player Status: (* = Director) Certificate limit = (12), + = double non-Director share

Fisher: 1695 M, 1 BY, 1 SX, 5 BA*, 2.5 PR, 1 HE (13 certs)

Hanna: 1480 M, 5 SX*, 1 PR, 10 WT* (13 certs)

Butitta: 1276 M, 3 SX, 1 BA, 3 PR*, 8 MS* (13)

Butcher: 997 M, 5 BY*, 2 PR, 1 BA, 4 HE (12 kZug)

Zieske: 1214 M, 1.5 PR, 4 BY, 1 SX, 3 BA+, 5 HE*, 2 MS* (12)

CORPORATION STATUS:

Corp Dir	Price	IO Pool	Cash	Trains	Tokens
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PR	JB	C262	0 0	3047	4+5	C11, E19, F14, H2, G5
SK	CH	A166	0 0	661	33+	H16, E19, H20
BY	TH	B150	0 0	099	5	O15, L14, H20
BA	RF	D124	0 0	310	3	L6, F14
WT	CH	C110	0 0	008	44	M9, J8
HE	PZ	C92	0 0	010	4	J8, H2
MS	PZ	E80	0 0	191	3+5+	C13, E19

The Bank has 3,011 M.

Trains available: 33,34,66,6+6+6+

Tiles available:

Yellow: #110), #21(1), #31(1), #41(1), #5(2), #6(2), #7(8), #8(8), #9(1), #55(1), #56(1), #57(2), #58(0),

#59(0), #201(2), #202(2)

Green: #12(2), #13(2), #14(0), #15(1), #16(1), #18(1), #19(2), #20(2), #23(2), #24(1), #25(1), #26(2),

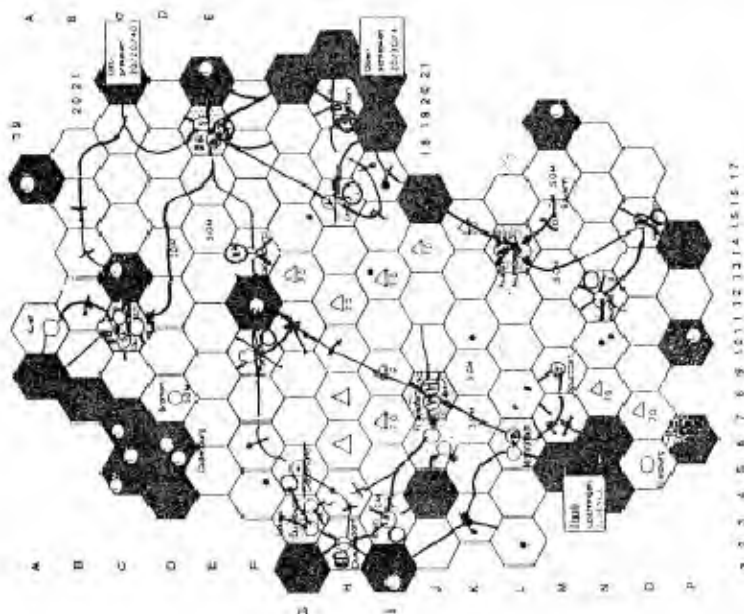
#27(2), #28(2), #29(2), #87(1), #88(2), #203(1), #204(2), #205(1), #206(1), #207(1), #208(2), #209(1),

#210(1), #211(1), #212(1), #213(1), #214(1), #215(1)

Brown: #39(1), #40(1), #41(2), #42(2), #43(1), #44(2), #45(2), #46(2), #47(2), #63(1), #70(1), #217(1),

#219(1)

Due next: Orders for ORs 9.2 and 9.3. Note that the game ends the OR Phase when the Bank runs out of money, so if the Bank is busted in OR 9.2, there will be no OR 9.3, etc. Butcher has der Zug. See transcript on the Website.



Down with the King

Alan Usurps!

Turn 13



The Cast:

D&D Anderson: Lord Jeffrey (#23 & 61), 3 IP, 25/13 PP, 12 cards, #51, #24(MC), #15, #65.
A. Bargender: Duke James (#22, MC), 16 IP, 28/20 PP, 11 cards, #52(H) #12(H) #32
Copeland: Marquise Margaret (#56), 6 IP, 39/17 PP, 12 cards, Philip, #46, #54, #31, #53, #25, #41, #44, Jane, #36, Anne,
Fowble: Lord Robert (#16/62), 3 IP, 43/3 PP, 11 cards, #13(H), #45, #21, #11, #26, Almerly, #35, #43 #34, #33, #66.
York: Duchess Mary (#64), 1 IP, 19/3 PP, 12 cards; #63(H), #55(H), #42.

The Cabinet:

Monarch: King George (20 Support)	Consort: Queen Catherine
Navy: Lord Arthur (#36) Mt	High Minister: Duke Henry (#43) Ro
State: Earl Duncan (#34), Ro	Army: Earl Francis (#33) Ro
Trade: Duke Marley (#44), Mt	Justice: Lord Robert (#16) I
Epalm: Sir Donald (#21), Ro	Beazyan: Sir Michael (#15) Je
Sandarkan: Sir Guy (#12), Ja	Cronos: Lord Perceval (#41) Mt
City States: Sir Richard (#14) My	Treasury: Knight Simon (#31), Mt

Turn 13:

- 1. Player order:** James, Mary, Margaret, Jeffrey, Robert.
- 2. Office:** n/a
- 3. Political Problems:** None.
- 4. Crown Event:** 7 = Two Political Problems: 7 = Treason and Conspiracy Trials & 3 = Economic Crisis. Minister of Justice Lord Robert attempts to solve T&C Trials, hindered by the Archbishop & Judge #2 (6 = auto fail). Minister of Treasury Knight Simon declines to solve the Economic Crisis. Monarch's Support drops to 0. The Government is in Crisis (Rule 33). No counseling allowed.
- 5. Player Turns:**

James: Draws 1 IP, Extra Activity. Rolls on Craft Table (10+2 = Monarch's Craftsman, 10 IP & 10 PPL spends 1 IP to draw another opportunity counter (Intrigue).

Mary: Draws 1 IP, Favor. Plays "Henchman" on Duke Henry, rolls on Craft Table (7+2 = Skilled +2 PP & 2 IP).

Margaret: Draws 1 IP, Scandal. Make Alan a FARC (10 PP). Begin Usurpation attempt against the King led by Prince Alan (10x2), Margaret's status (4), FACs (26), FARC's (20), cards: Naval Support (2x5), Peasant Support (1x4) & (6x4), and Townsman Support (5x3) = 124. George's Usurpation Value: NCs (0), NRCs (12), Catherine (3x2 +10), MSV (-25) = 3 but halved due Jane = 1. George is overthrown and killed. Alan becomes Monarch with an Initial Support value of 50.

We halt here to allow Jeffrey and Robert to rethink their moves.

The Cabinet:

Monarch: King Alan Mt (50 Support)	Consort: <Vacant>
Navy: Lord Arthur (#36) Mt	High Minister: Duke Henry (#43) Ro
State: Earl Duncan (#34), Ro	Army: Earl Francis (#33) Ro
Trade: Duke Marley (#44), Mt	Justice: Lord Robert (#16) I
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Table Modifiers

Table	James	Jeffrey	Marge	Mary	Robert
Business Speculation	0	0	-1	0	0
Court Ball	0	0	0	0	+2
Craft	+2	0	0	+2	-1
Fashion	+2	+1	-1	0	+2
Literary Pursuits	+2	+2	+1	+2	0
Patronage	-1	+1	+2	0	0
Socializing	0	0	0	0	-2

Councils

Table	James	Jeffrey	Marge	Mary	Robert
Court Ball	--	--	--	1	1
Foreign War	2	--	--	--	2.3
Scandal	--	--	--	--	4
Treason & Conspiracy Trials	--	--	--	--	1.3

--DUNE continued from p 5

Fremen to others: Silence is golden ? Please contact Fremen Weather Services (FWS) for the short term storm forecast; any reasonable offer accepted.

The Guild wishes in the common interest of all that every one become a Long Aerodynamic Spacious Transport Guild Aero Space Passenger, otherwise known as (LAST GASP). Have a Happy Day. Guild Rep.

Reverend Mother Waltallo surveyed her options from the visiting dignitary suite at Carthage's only hotel. So many possibilities, so many threads in the skein of fate. Who would prove the victor? She had had a powerful vision of a house going down in flames, every member put to the sword. Like many visions, the details were blurry; and in all things, there was no certainty. "Is this a shadow of what is, or what might be?" She sighed and slipped her spice bucket down; she would be meeting with the local indigenous natives. There was a power there, she guessed. Something that might effect the Program. Something that might go beyond the mere surreptitious shipment of spice through Sisterhood channels. "Something to look into..." she thought. Now, if she could only avoid notice of the interfering Harkonnen officials in this dustbin of a city, all would proceed as planned.

Recent disturbing rumors and strange occurrences on Planet Arrakis have lead the Landsraad to be displeased with the current administration and necessitate a change be imposed upon all concerned parties. The Noble Houses have decided to exert direct influence on Arrakis to ensure the uninterrupted flow of Spice and prevent disastrous consequences of impending conflict. Baron Moul and Earl Visconti have been assigned to directly contact the principals involved on Arrakis and the Emperor Shaddam IV has been freed to attend to other pressing matters in another quadrant. The Landsraad respectfully requests the co-operation of all parties, wishes to maintain calm on Dune and sternly warns the indigenous Fremen not to use the present uncertainties as an invitation to cause any disruptions to Imperial activities. Dune is central to continued trade and the prosperity of the Emportium and adverse occurrences will not be tolerated.



KREMLIN

Karrienko Still Elected, Waves!



ERRATA: We had a call to redo the Funeral Commission Phase due to last month's late errata. The only changes are that W voted "Nyel" and promoted T to Candidate instead of T.

CAST (in Table Order)

Chry Nichols: Re-Education Deployment Society (REDS), 2 cards
 Ron Fisher: Red Bivalve Factory (RBF), 3 cards
 Mike Scott: The California Connection (TCC), 1 card, 2 waves
 Warren "Goat" Goatsle: Sneaky, Treacherous, Annoying Bastards (STAB), 2 cards
 Dave Anderson: Decaying Licentious Antiquarians (DLA), 1 card

POLITBURO:

Party Chief:	<Vacant>		
KGB Head:	Karrienko (N)	667	REDS 6, TCC 5
Foreign Minister:	Doberman (L)	70w	RBF 4, REDS 1
Defense Minister:	Nicotin (R)	64	STAB 5, TCC 3, REDS 2
Ideology Chief:	Bungaloif (W)	69	REDS 2, TCC 1
Industry Minister:	Borentodev (K)	667	
Economy Minister:	Schukrutov (B)	75s	
Sport Minister:	<Vacant>		
Candidates: DEQS_			People: C, J, M, O, P, U, X, Y, Z, <RBF 5>
The Wall: AFGV			Siberia: H

PHASE 3.5: FUNERAL COMMISSION: REDS reveals 9 IP on Doberman (L). TCC reveals 3 on Bungaloif (W) & 1 IP on Borentodev (K). Foreign Minister Doberman nominates Karrienko "N" to be Party Chief. RBF reveals 2 IP on K & 1 IP on B. TCC reveals 4 IP on K. RBF counters with 5 IP. N, L, B & K vote "Da"; R & W vote "Nyel".

PHASE 3.6: REPLACEMENT: Party Chief Karrienko shifts Doberman to KGB, then demotes Nicotin to Sports, then promotes Z to Candidate, aging 2 SP to 68. Schukrutov promotes by age to Foreign Minister and Borentodev promotes by age to Defense. KGB Head Doberman promotes Q to Economy, aging 1 SP to 71. D promotes by age to Industry. Bungaloif promotes Strychnin "T" to Candidate. Gofebrook promotes by age to Candidate.

PHASE 3.7: REHABILITATION: None.

PHASE 3.8: PARADE:

Party Chief Karrienko waves! REDS have 1 wave. TCC has two. TCC plays Card #52 "Worldwide Recession".

PHASE 3.9.1: INTERPHASE 1a

RBF discards card #2 and #15, draws two cards. TCC places 2 IP on "W". STAB places 2 IP on "E". DLA adds 2 IP to "B". REDS adds 2 IP to "N".

Due next are orders for the Card #52 Intraphase through Health Phases. During the Intraphase each faction, starting with RBF, may draw two cards, draw one card and add 1 IP to one politician, or add 1 IP to each of two politicians or 2 IP to a single politician. Hand limit is three cards, so discards may be necessary. You have cards:

POLITBURO:

Party Chief:	Karrienko (N)	687	REDS 8, TCC 5
KGB Head:	Doberman (L)	71	REDS 9, RBF 4
Foreign Minister:	Schukrutov (B)	75	DLA 2, RBF 1





Source of the Nile

Turn 16



The Cast:

Dan Farrow (dropped)
Ran Fisher (dropped?)
Don Chinnery

Jason Bargerder
Andrew York
D&D Anderson

Published: DD12 (lake, +79 acres), DD11 (lake, +75 acres), CC11 (lake, +88 acres), AA13 (veldt, river from 1 and 4 to 3), Z14 (veldt, river from 5 to 4, cataract, waterfall is 3-50 feet), Z13 (veldt, river from 1 to 2) and tribe L11 (the Mphahlele) in Z13.

Positions still available for fearless explorers. Contact Alvin Bargerder if interested.



*"I told him it wouldn't kill him to try to be nice
once in a while, but I was wrong."*

Defense Minister:	Borentodev (K)	66?	TCC 2, RBF 1
Ideology Chief:	Bunguloff (W)	61	TCC 6, REDS 5
Industry Minister:	Niewitko (D)	73s	
Economy Minister:	Zenjarplan (Q)	60	
Sport Minister:	Nikollu (R)	64w	TCC 3, REDS 2
Candidates:	CESTAD 2 STZ (+, RBF 5)	People:	L/MOPUXY
The Wall:	AFGV	Siberia:	H

LEGEND: s = strong, w = weak, + = sick, ++ = ill, ? = under investigation, C# = card # remains as a bribe, @ = taking the Cure.

ERRATA: P has "M" so receives one level higher payoffs so earned \$139 more. G has "T" and "U".

THE CAST: (In Tiebreak Order)

London (McCabe): \$143, 14C, 3K, 70M, ON-1

Paris (Frueh): \$312, 19C, 2K, 80M, ON-4

Genoa (Copeland): \$183, 8C, 0K, 80M, ON-1

Hamburg (Debbie A): \$119, 7C, 4K, 150M, SV-10

Barcelona (Butta): \$102, 7C, 0K, 80M, ON-1

Venice (Hanna): \$120, 13C, 3K, 100M, SV-12

ADVANCES

A-L,N-T,V-Y

A-G,I-Y

A,B,E,F,I,N,O,R-X

A,B,E,F,I,J,R,S,V,W

A-C,E,F,I-K,N,O,R-T,V-Y

A,B,E,F,H,K,N,O,R,S,V,W

Leaders are de las Casas (G, 1st), Newton (B, \$5), and Copernicus (H, \$0).

9.4: Purchase Phase:

G (0t) rents Newton (\$5 to B), buys "Laws of Matter" (C: \$10, 80 cr, 5 MR), "Enlightenment" (D: \$40, 80 cr, 50 MR), "Cosmopolitan" (V: \$50, 100 cr, 25 MR), "Wind/Watermill" (J: \$30, 10 cr, 5 MR), "Improved Agriculture" (K: \$40, 10 cr, -1 ML, 25 MR). Earns -2 ML with 110 MR.

B (0t) buys "Enlightenment" (D: \$30, 90 cr, 50 MR), "Middle Class" (Z: \$70, 100 cr, 50 MR). Earns -2 ML with 2 tiers and 100 MR.

P (4t) buys Stabilization (83), "Cathedral" (H: \$60, 60 cr +1 ML, 25 MR), "Middle Class" (Z: \$70, 100 cr, 50 MR). Earns -4 ML for 4 tiers and 75 MR.

H (5t) rents Newton (\$5 to B) and buys Stabilization (\$10), "Laws of Matter" (C: \$20, 70 cr, 5 MR), "Improved Agriculture" (K: \$30, 20 cr, -1 ML, 25 MR), and "Written Word" (N: \$30, 5 MR). Earns -1 ML due to 1 tier and 35 MR.

V (11t) rents Newton (\$5 to B), buys Stabilization (\$6), "Institutional Research" (X: \$40, 60 cr, 10 MR), "Laws of Matter" (C: \$10, 80 cr, 5 MR), and "Enlightenment" (D: \$40, 80 cr, 50 MR). Earns -2 ML using 2 tiers and 65 MR.

L (13t) buys Stabilization (\$6), "Industry" (M: \$80, 50 cr, 5 MR), & "Middle Class" (Z: 70, 100 cr, 50 MR). Earns -3 ML with 55 MR.

9.5: Expansion Phase: L uses "Q" to move up one position.

G & B (0t) do nothing.

P (4t) plays 4t (+1T-c) @ Acr.

H (5t) plays 5t (G,B-W, 3,2-5 no) @ Sto.

L (13t) plays 3t (1,5,6, no) Sar & 10t (2,1:5 no) @ Ind.

V (11t) plays 4t (2,3:1-c-PC) @ Gra, 7t (5,5:2-c-PC) @ Salo.

9.6: Income Phase:

P (7C: "L" & "Z") earns \$117+\$17+\$10, V (15C) earns \$105, L (14C: "L" & "Z") earns \$99+\$7+\$10, G (8C) earns \$63, B (7C: "Z") earns \$57+\$10, H (7C) earns \$57. P & G earn +1 ML due to "U". There is a surplus of cloth (5,4+2) and a shortage of grain (2,4+1). G loses \$4.

Final Card Play:

P & L have "M". G & B have no cards. Paris plays "Metal" (P+\$86, V+\$54, L+\$24) and "Timber" (P+\$27, H&L+\$12, B,G&V+\$3). Hamburg plays "Spice" (P+\$324), "Timber" (P+\$27, H&L+\$12, B,G&V+\$3), "Crusades", and "Papal Decree". Venice plays "Wine" (P+\$80, B+\$20, G+\$5), "Silk" (P+\$128, V&L+\$32), and "Metal" (P+\$96, V+\$54, L+\$24). London plays "Gold" (P+\$160, L+\$40, V+\$10), "Silk" (P+\$128, V&L+\$32), and "Cloth" (G+\$45, P+\$5, surplus relieved).

PRESS:

Genoa to Paris-- While you crushed me everywhere else, I DID manage to get to the New World before you. You taught me some valuable lessons in this one my friend.

Player	City	Advances	Cash	Misery	Total
Frueh	Paris	2100	\$1497	-40	3557
McCabe	London	1940	\$299	-30	2209
Copeland	Genoa	1320	\$123	-40	1403
Bullitt	Barcelona	1330	\$110	-40	1400
Hanna	Venice	1010	\$310	-80	1240
Anderson	Hamburg	0610	\$105	-100	0615

THE CAST: (In Finish Order)

Paris (Frueh): \$1497, 17C, 40M, ON-4

London (McCabe): \$299, 14C, 30M, ON-1

Genoa (Copeland): \$123, 8C, 40M, ON-1

Barcelona (Bullitt): \$110, 7C, 40M, ON-1

Venice (Hanna): \$310, 15C, 80M, SV-12

Hamburg (Debb): \$105, 7C, 100M, SV-10

ADVANCES

A-Z

A-T, V-Z

A-F, I-K, O, R-Y

A-F, I-K, O, R-T, V-Z

A-F, H-K, O, R, S, V-X

A-C, E, F, I-K, N, R, S, V, W

THE FINAL BOARD:

B: C @ Alg, BAR, Basc, Paz, Lts, Tol, WAE: IT @ Alex, Barc, Tou, Tre.

G: C @ Bel, Flo, GEN, Mar, Nam, Sic, Smy, Tun: IT @ Ada, Bari, Jer.

H: C @ Bru, Dan, HAM, Kle, Lub, Noy, Rig: IT @ Col, Cop, Haf, Mal, Mit, Smz, Ste, Whl.

L: C @ Ber, Cat, Che, Edi, Erz, Lee, LON, Por, Sev, Sue, Tan, Tri, Wat, Yar: IT @ Arm, Corn, Kon, Shu, Tre, Wal.

P: C @ Aer, Alep, Basl, Bor, Bud, Chi, Cre, Cyp, Dub, Dy, Eln, Ind, Lyo, Nur, Pres, SAM, Str: IT @ Aih, Dur, Gal, Lev, SIG, Tar.

V: C @ Ang, Cop, Gra, Mil, Mon, Nap, Par, Pol, Rom, Salo, Sar, SIM, Ste, Val, Vnr, VEN.

So Frueh wins his third AoR game in Boris. Due next time are end game statements. See Website for map and transcript. We have Hanna, Frueh and Copeland signed up for a sequel.

LEGEND: c = white circle, C = colored circle, K = cards, M = misery, ML = misery level, t = white token, T = colored token



BRITANNIA

"Devon"
Turn XI



The Cast:

Blue: Kevin Wilson

Green: Rick Copeland

Purple: Rudy Zodd

Red: Peter Boynton

Board

Welsh (0.5): 3A @ Powys; 2A @ Clywd, Dyfed, Gynedd, Gynedd; 1A @ Cornwall, Devon.

Brigantes (1): 3A @ Pennines, Strathclyde; 2A @ Durned; 1A @ Cumbria, Galloway, Mar.

Picts (0.5): 2A @ Alben, Dalraida, Hebrides, Skye.

Caledonians (0.5): 2A @ Caithness, Orkneys.

Irish (1.5): 2A @ Avalon, Cheshire, March; 1A @ Hawee.

Norsemen: 2A @ Moray.

Danes: 4R @ Fritlan; 3R @ North.

Jutes (2.5): 2A @ Wessex.

Saxons (2.5): 2A @ S Mercia; 2A @ Lindsey, Sussex; 1A @ Downlands.

Angles (0.5): 3A @ Lothian; 2A @ Bernicia, Norfolk, York.

Saxons (2.5): Crow 3 pp, Acid 1 A @ ...

See website for transcript and map.

ON DECK



1830: R Fisher, Zieske, Copeland, Zodda, Hanna, Frueh

1835: Hanna

1860: Hanna, Frueh

1870: Zieske, Hanna, Frueh

AGE OF RENAISSANCE: Hanna, Frueh, Copeland

AIR BARON: R Fisher, Copeland, Zodda

BRITANNIA: Dave A, Hanna, Butitta, Boyum, Frueh (awaiting end of Devon or Egbert)

CIRCUS IMPERIUM: O'Hara

COLONIAL DIPLOMACY: O'Hara, Copeland, Nichols, Anderson, Cole. Boyum: need 1 more

DIPLOMACY: Fisher, Shacklett, Zodda, Anderson, Copeland

GLADIATOR: O'Hara

GUNS-LINGER: Scott, Fowble, R Fisher, O'Hara, need 3 more

HISTORY OF THE WORLD: Zodda, Anderson, Wilson

JUNTA: Copeland, Dave A, Hanna

KINGMAKER: R Fisher, Shacklett, O'Hara

KREMLIN: Zodda, Scott, Anderson, Barrett

MACHIAVELLI (Gunboat): Have 2.

MAGIC REALM: Butitta, Deb A, O'Hara

MAHARAJA: Hanna

MERCHANT OF VENUS: R Fisher, Deb A

MONSTERS RAVAGE AMERICA: Butitta, T.J. Klausmuller?

RUSSIAN CIVIL WAR: O'Hara, Scott

SETTLERS of CATAN: Goz, R Wilson, Copeland

SILVERTON: Zieske, Deb A

STELLAR CONQUEST: schlüsselde

WIZARD'S QUEST: A&J Bargender, Farrow, R Fisher, Deb A, O'Hara

OTHER POSSIBILITIES: 1829 (N OR S), AFTER THE HOLOCAUST (PGM Fowble), GODSFIRE, KAMAKURA, PLANET MINERS, SAMARAI.

* Offered by guest GM, when space is available

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